





# The Journal.

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 2, 1892.

Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes celebrated his 83d birthday Monday at his home at Beverly Farms, receiving many visitors, congratulatory telegrams and letters, and presents from all parts of the country.

It has long been settled who the candidates for the first place on the state ticket will be, and from present appearances the Republicans will nominate Roger Wolcott of Boston for second place, and the Democratic candidate will no doubt be James H. Carroll of Springfield. Neither of the men are hustling for the place, but both will accept if the party calls.

Several political refugees who had taken shelter on an American merchant vessel in Venezuelan waters were taken from it by force a few days ago, although the United States flag was flying over them and they were proclaimed to be under its protection, and now the grateful Consul has been sent to inquire the officials of that country with a little respect for that flag.

Governor Russell's nomination of David States of Northampton to be clerk of the court did not suit even the members of his own party, least of all those in Mr. States' own neighborhood, and a delegation of prominent Democrats from Northampton visited the governor on Monday to protest against him. In the meantime Mr. States had written a letter requesting the withdrawal of his name.

The hearing in the Borden murder trial ended at Fall River yesterday, the jury finding Lizzie Borden guilty, and holding her for trial at the November term. And yet many who have followed the evidence day by day will be struck by the apparent slight ground for such an action, the only thing which can seemingly be brought against her being the probability that she was in the house when Mrs. Borden was killed.

Applications for receivers for the Iron Hall have been made lately and fact the past week in the different states in which the order has gained a foothold, and have been granted. Chief Justice Sumner has been in Boston trying to restore confidence in the order, stating that its methods were perfectly practical and that the country was organized again under the laws of another state. If the victims go into it again with the past experience they will be much like the Indian who said "If white man cheat me once, shame on him; if cheat me twice, shame on me" and they will receive very little sympathy.

Five Brooklyn members of the National Guard who were on duty at Buffalo, N. Y., during the recent riot, were found there places to enter the city, their employers refusing to take them back, and now those employees are to be prosecuted by Gen. McLeary, commander of the Second Brigade. Which is as it should be, and it is to be hoped that some day of punishment will be found. A man has a right to permit an employee to become a member of an organization of this kind, which compels him to swear allegiance to the state, and then discharge him if he is called upon for duty, knowing that a refusal to respond would mean public disgrace; if not worse.

Senator Henry L. Dawes of Pittsfield announces that he will not be a candidate for reelection to the office which he has held for the past 18 years, and Massachusetts will lose a valuable service in his retirement. With the announcement of his withdrawal came the question as to his successor, and Henry Cabot Lodge, Ex-Gov. Long, Speaker Barrett and Mr. Crapo were considered as the best men to fill the place. Mr. Lodge has frankly announced that he is a candidate, while Ex-Gov. Long says he is not, Mr. Crapo and Mr. Barrett have not been heard from as yet, but from past indications it is safe to say that the presiding officer of the Legislature has laid out on soundings, and it will probably be developed later. Mr. Lodge's frank avowal of his intentions will doubtless help him in the canvass. Massachusetts voters like to see things open and above board.

The Springfield Republican, in looking over the political field, finds that "no book looks as though Charles L. Gardner of Palmer would be Mayor. Mr. Gardner's Republicanism is not a religion, but a habit, and he would like the nomination, but the newspaper account of his fierce onslaught on Springfield's greed at the 1st congressional convention at Holyoke last spring is carried around in vest pockets, ready for use. Mr. Gardner is a type of the public man of the day when the office was not hunted so openly. His life in Ashfield and Northampton will give him help in those localities, but his friends must nominate him—he will seem sensible for a while. He simply says that if the Republican party wishes his services and nominates him, he will accept the office." The latter sentence is evidently the Republican's pleasant way of saying that if given the nomination there would be no doubt of his election.

With all the claims that this is a civilized and enlightened community, the main news in many of the daily papers the past week, after the Borden murder hearing, has been a discussion of the merits and condition of two women who next week will face each other to see which will stand the greatest amount of pounding before being rendered helpless. We are told that the flesh of one is firm and hard, with a color like that of a baby's, while the other is a little dark, and that she has all right in a few days, as if animals and not humans were under discussion; and there are many who will agree that the brute nature is greatly in the ascendency, both in the principals and their admirers. The worst of it is that the details of this contest and affair may be looked for even in the papers which claim to have the highest moral tone, and be laboring hardest for the welfare of the general public.

Two dreaded Asiatic cholera has made its appearance on this side of the water, the steamship Moravia, which arrived at New York Tuesday night, reporting 22 deaths on board during the passage of 15 days, two deaths and 20 children. There is little danger of the disease gaining a foothold in this country through the seaports; the government officials are fully alive to the responsibilities of the times, and at New York all vessels from foreign shores were detained at quarantine from these two ships, the ships being thoroughly fumigated, and if there were immigrants their clothing subjected to a disinfecting before they were allowed to land. The other ports were not behind in their watchfulness. President Harrison has acted promptly in the matter by hastening home from his vacation in the West, and by ordering a circular closing the ports of this country to all vessels bringing in emigrants until such vessels shall have undergone a quarantine detention of 20 days. The danger through contagion from the Canadian line, which is a little danger, is that country is all good, and there is little to prevent persons infected with the disease from landing there and then crossing the line into the states. It was in this way that Buffalo was the center of this last appearance among us. While there is little danger of the disease in this locality, it is better to be over-cautions than careless, and much can be done toward prevention by the use of plain and well-cooked food, boiling water when it is used, with care as to the sanitary arrangements, and not allowing the accumulation of refuse about the premises.

## PALMER NEWS.

Next Sunday is communion Sunday at the churches.

William Rhodes is painting his house on Dewey Hill.

T. J. Dwyer is employed as a clerk by W. E. Stone.

F. W. Dunnell will preach in the Advent chapel next Sunday.

The Journal office will be closed all day next Monday, Labor Day.

E. R. Leach is moving into Mrs. Lawrence's tenement on Central street.

The exterior of the factory of Woolrich & Co. is receiving a coat of paint.

Deacon Lyman Dimock has bought the Griffin property on Park street.

D. Richards is moving into the north half of W. H. Hildebeck's house on Knox street.

In another column Mrs. L. E. Carpenter advertises a clearing-out sale of her millinery goods.

Mrs. G. O. Henry has moved this week into her recently-purchased house on School street.

A merry party of a dozen or more picniced on the top of the hill across the river Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Morris W. Morse of Chester, N. H., will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday.

C. H. Atkins is moving into the north half of the Dimock house, on Central street, recently purchased of his father.

The churches of the town will resume their usual services again next Sunday, with the regular pastors in the pulpits.

A party of a dozen or fifteen young people of both sexes dined at the home of Mrs. J. H. Hildebeck Monday night.

The Eastern Hampden Medical Society of allopathic physicians picnicked at Forest Park, Springfield, yesterday afternoon.

C. E. Fuller has a new chestnut driving horse, a handsome animal which shows considerable speed. He will sell his well-known one, "Midget."

Flower, gray squirrels and rabbits can be shot now without danger of interference from the law, but partridges are not to be killed until the 15th.

There were no new applicants for admission to the high school at the examination held Monday, but 20 who were conditional at the last examination tried again.

Round-trip tickets to the Vermont State Fair at White River Junction next Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday will be sold by the New London Northern road for \$2.70.

The excursion of the New London Northern road to Lake Pleasant last Saturday was well patronized, but did not draw much of a crowd from this place, not a ticket being sold at this station.

The Palmer Orchestra Club is to give a social and hop in the open house on the first evening of the cattle show, the 29th. C. W. Johnson will have charge of the floor, and J. L. Bacon will prompt.

The commission to decide on the matter of the proposed changes in the Ferrell cross-roads of the New London Northern road, which these roads are to be appointed by the superior court next Monday.

The annual reunion of the 27th Mass. Regiment Association will be held at Westfield next Thursday, with a business meeting in the G. A. U. Hall at 11.30 a. m., followed by a collation in the town hall.

Reports have been circulated that J. A. Palmer had gone out of the wood business, but this has been emphatically denied, saying that he has plenty of the article on hand, and will supply all customers.

What remained unsold of Dwyer & Sullivan's stock of groceries was disposed of at auction last Saturday afternoon. The sale was held by Sheriff Healey, while O'Brien Bros. of Monson secured the horse.

During the warm summer evenings the bug's room at the library has not been very well patronized, but the storey where of late has sent the youngsters in a little more frequently, and no doubt the room will soon be well filled again.

Miss M. Mason is now the operator in charge of the Western Union telegraph office at the passenger station. Miss Mason is a skilled operator and accommodating to all, and has many friends who will be glad that she has secured the place.

It is expected that the contracts for alterations of the bridge and the canal crossing the bridge at the crossing of the canal and the bridge will be made to-morrow, and that the work will be begun at once and the changes completed this fall.

The directors of the Eastern Hampden Agricultural Society met Monday and arranged the details of the annual fair the 29th and 30th. In view of the large number of horses and cattle entered, new sheds for the animals were ordered built.

The platform at the passenger station between the tracks of the main line of the Boston and Albany road and the Ware River branch is being entirely relaid, this time on a level with the tracks, having heretofore been about 10 inches higher.

A crowd of fresh-fair children from New York passed through the New London Northern road Tuesday evening after having spent two weeks in the hills of Vermont. Wednesday another party, composed of colored children, went north on their way to the green fields.

Alvah Thayer, who lives near Foster's Mills, was taken with a sudden attack of illness on Main street last Saturday forenoon, and fell in the street in front of the Commercial block. He was helped into one of the stores near by, and soon recovered sufficiently to drive to his home.

An informal meeting of the members of the Congregational church was called last evening by a committee on pulpits supply. During the meeting a vote was taken as to the advisability of considering Father Rev. A. J. Shear of Chelmsford as a candidate, and it was decided that his name be dropped.

Arrangements are being made for the installation of Rev. H. F. Moulton as pastor of St. Paul's Universalist church, to take place at an early date. As the Moulton church has recently called a new pastor, it is proposed to have the installation at that place the same day, that is in the afternoon and here in the evening.

The steamer Block Island makes her last regular trip to Block Island next Monday. No change has been announced in the running time of the train now leaving Palmer at 8.25 a. m., and it is expected that it will run the year round, as was announced when it was put on at the first of the season.

People who travel over the road to West Brimfield or Foster's Mills will be grateful to the selectmen for the work they are doing on the highway nearly opposite the farm of the selectmen, that is, the highway leading to West Brimfield, which is now being filled in to a depth of about two feet for a distance of something like 100 rods.

A man who said he was hard up and wanted to raise money enough to get home on offered a watch for sale cheap at the carriage shop of J. H. Tutill Wednesday, and it was bought by Joseph Woodard. It was thought that the watch might have been stolen, but as yet no one has appeared in search of either the timepiece or the man.

All the schools of the town commence their fall term next Tuesday. The school committee has done good work in the school buildings of the town, giving every one of them a thorough cleaning inside, while several of them have been painted and the desks varnished, blackboards repaired, etc. They

have not had such a renovation before for years.

As a general thing men do not kick over the shoulders of their tax bill, and yet the remarks which were made by one citizen the other day when he found that he had been assessed \$2 for a poll tax and one cent for a property tax were not to be considered the proper thing in polite society. It was the indignation of the property tax which staggered him.

The ball game between the Thorndikes and the Wares on the park last Saturday was postponed on account of the weather, but will be played to-morrow afternoon, and lovers of the sport may expect to see a good game, as both sides are bound to win, and the teams are supposed to be pretty evenly matched.

An alarm was rung in from 18 about 2.30 this morning for a blaze which had started in the coal in the bin at the pump house of the Boston and Albany road, near the corner of the Quilting street. It broke out again about 11.20 this forenoon, and a duty call for the firemen was rung in, some hose taken down and the fire drowned out.

According to the records in the office of the secretary of state 29 persons in the state of Massachusetts have their names changed last year because they were dissatisfied with the changes were made by their parents. Among the changes were Mary Ellen Hogan of Palmer to Mary Ellen Riley; Hannah Sullivan of Ware to Josephine Brown; the Cluck family of Monson to Brigham.

A small "hen" party went from this place to Forest Park, Springfield, yesterday for a day. The party consisted of a "hen" party one from which the males were initiated. Although small in numbers there was an abundance of good spirits, and judging from the apparent disposition of the members and what can be seen of the trip, the enjoyment of the party was not lessened by the absence of gentlemen.

As the dawn freight on the Ware River road was passing through Barre Plains last Saturday night a stone was thrown through the window of the cab of the locomotive, striking the third finger of the right hand of the engineer, J. H. Hildebeck, and the stone was not broken, as was at first supposed. No trace of the thrower of the stone can be found.

Some of the local bicyclists suggest that a record be made for the rim between this place and Monson, or rather two records, one for the trip from Monson to Palmer, and the other for the trip from Palmer to Monson. By making the course between Plym's store in Monson and the telephone office here the start at either end could be telephoned to the other and thus accurate timing be assured. Who'll be the first to establish a record?

Those who contemplate attending the national convention of the Grand Army at Washington, and have not already made arrangements for quarters, had better do so at once, or they may not find a place to sleep when they get there, or if they do, they will be charged a high price for a room, and the tickets are now being sold for \$2.50, which include the round trip from Boston and sleeping accommodations while in Washington. The tickets are good going Sept. 17th, and returning the 24th.

Palmer people will welcome to their midst C. P. Grosvenor of Ludlow, who has bought the shanty mill of Mrs. C. M. Smith, and is taking possession next week, instead of yesterday, as was at first arranged. Mr. Grosvenor has been a resident and successful business man of Ludlow for a number of years, closely identified with the advancement and best interests of the place, and will undoubtedly make his presence felt in this town. He is also somewhat of a politician, having represented the district in the Legislature for one term.

Next Monday is Labor Day, and the proprietors of Forest Lake Garden have made their usual preparations for entertaining the crowd with which they are always favored on that day. The Ware Cadet Band will give concerts from the band stand, there will be roller skating in the forenoon and dancing in the afternoon, with music by Stone's Orchestra of Brookfield and Joseph Kerigan and charge of the floor. Ample arrangements have been made for feeding the multitude. Special trains will leave for Ware and Gilbertville at 11 p. m., and for Thorndike and Palmer at 12.15 a. m.

G. W. Ely, the proprietor of Overlook Farm, has arranged with the directors of the agricultural society to offer a prize of \$100 for the best sucking calf sired by his station, "Independence Day." Mr. Ely giving the premiums, which will be 10, 8, 6, 4 and 2 bushels of oats, the only conditions being that the calves shall be fed the oats this coming winter. The prize will be awarded according to the points of the official score card, which was used here for the first time last year, minus the breeding, so that a calf with a dam of no record stands as good a show as one foaled by a thoroughbred.

Lovers of fruit have a fairly good assortment to select from now, considering the season. There are a few fairly good peaches in the market at \$1.75 per basket (three baskets to the bushel) but they are not Yellow Crawfords, by any means; these latter come from California, and cost from 30 cents to 50 cents per dozen, according to the quality. There are also a few good apples at 10 and 20 cents per quart. Fine large pears are plenty at 20 cents per dozen, and grapes are just beginning to arrive from Delaware, costing 40 cents for a five-pound box of Concord or Weymouths.

The New London Northern Railroad now makes two cheap and attractive excursions in the month of September. One leaves for the city, leaving Palmer at 8.25 a. m., and returning at 2 p. m. Monday afternoon, giving patrons the privilege of staying over Sunday at that popular resort, the fare for the round trip being only \$2.50. The other is to Saratoga next Wednesday, leaving Palmer at 8.25 a. m., and returning at 2 p. m. Monday afternoon, giving patrons the privilege of staying over Sunday at that popular resort, the fare for the round trip being only \$2.50. The fare is \$2 for the round trip.

The collector of taxes has turned over to the town treasury \$20,410 of the \$27,283.32 assessed on the tax book. As a discount of 6 per cent was allowed on all taxes paid before September 1st, this means about \$1800 in discounts, leaving only about \$5700 now on the collector's book, to which interest will be added from the first day of September at the rate of 6 per cent per year. He has also turned over to the treasurer of the fire district \$250 of its \$2485.55, leaving only \$965.55 uncollected. No discount was allowed on this, but that city will be able to pay the taxes in the town tax. By vote of the town all taxes are to be collected by the first of January, by process of law if necessary.

The Palmer Clothing Association, 17, Plunkoffsky, proprietor, is a new institution which will locate in town next week. The proprietor, with headquarters in Boston, has done considerable business in this section during the past year, but that city is getting to be a place away, and he has decided to locate here and make this his headquarters for the surrounding territory. The method of procedure is to form a club, with payments of one dollar per week for 35 weeks, one member getting a \$25 suit of clothes or an overcoat each week and dropping out, but no matter how many members there are in the club none pay for the 35th week, each getting his suit at that time, and each standing a chance of getting it at one of the thirty-four prices below the final.

Wednesday was the last day of trout fishing for this season, the conditions were very good, and all every body was out, and a number of weeks on account of sickness.

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P. J. Cashman of Boston has been visiting friends in this place this week.

Mr. Flury purchased a very handsome horse in Canada last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry intend to return to their home in Boston next Monday.

Miss Jennie Kendrick of Amherst visited her cousin, Miss Kendrick, this week.

Miss Lottie Moore of Palmer is spending a few days with Mrs. C. E. Fay.

Mrs. H. L. Trickett is expected to return to-morrow, after an absence of two weeks.

Mrs. Mary Atkinson is spending a few in Ludlow, among relatives and acquaintances.

Miss Aletha Stubbs entertained a birthday party last Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Hughes intends to commence painting Mr. Landers' block in Bondsville next Monday.

Horace Busky has been called to Montague, Vt., where his little daughter is very seriously ill.

The Misses Koffey have returned from Worcester, where they have been spending a week's vacation.

H. L. Auger has returned from a trip to Canada, where he visited Montreal and other places in his vacation.

J. W. Schoenmaker was one of the guests at the wedding of his friend, Mr. Dunham, Tuesday, in Ware.

Renovated of Dentist Flynn.

Dentist M. W. Flynn left on Monday for his new home in Pittsfield, where he is to locate and work at his profession. He came from Monson to take place with a box, and will be here until the present time with his parents on Church street. In his departure Thorndike loses one of its best young men; one who was always ready to assist his fellowman, kind and generous to his friends and acquaintances. He has many friends, not only in this place but in the surrounding towns. During his practice here he has won a good reputation for his work, and had all he could attend to at times, but being desirous of locating in some large city or town close to his friends and relatives, he has decided to leave him every success in his new field and a bright and prosperous future.

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C. J. Hanson is building an addition to his Hampden avenue house.

Mrs. Alphonse Stanton is building a piazza on her house on Tenthill Hill.

Prof. James H. Tarts preached in the Congregational church last Sunday.

The freemasons have arrived and begun work at the Congregational church.

Mrs. Slaw of North Main street is quite low, the result of a paralytic shock.

By the recent changes in the temperature many people are suffering from severe colds.

The new houses of C. M. Gage, A. D. Ellis, and Chester Blanchard are progressing quite rapidly.

E. P. Newton has the finest bed of china astors in town. To be appreciated they must be seen.

Some are wondering if the tin-can which has stood near the fish market since July 14 is a lie.

A small party of ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a bicycle run to Palmer and return on Monday night.

A meeting of the King's Daughters will be held with Mrs. S. E. Thrall next Monday evening at 7.30.

Twenty-one citizens availed themselves of the opportunity to visit Nantasket at excursion rates on Tuesday.

The schools of the town will open next Monday. Later they will have a day for the fair at Palmer or Stafford.

Owner E. Bradley for the second time has captured the second prize on latter at the New England Fair at Worcester.

Charles Merriek, proprietor of Merriek's Music Rooms, now owns a horse of flesh and bones, as well as one of steel and rubber.

Rev. Harry Blackford and bride have returned from Ohio, and there will be preaching as usual in the Universalist church next Sunday morning.

C. M. Gage has put running water into his new house from Dr. Fuller's springs, which by his recent additions have a capacity of 180 barrels per day.

James Tipper is the first one to win barrels in the Monson Fox Club since Wednesday shooting a large "blush" on Tuesday, of which he justly feels proud.

At the regular meeting of the official board of the Methodist church last evening it was voted to give the pastor, Rev. Mr. Marple, a vacation of two weeks, to be taken at his discretion.

Leonard Balthorn has moved from Mrs. Frank O'Brien's house on Hampden avenue into the Monson House, and Mrs. O'Brien will move from the Monson House into the tenement vacated by Mr. Balthorn.

Next Monday evening the regular meeting of Marcus Keep Post, G. A. R., takes place, and it is important that all members be present, especially those intending to go to Washington, as the final arrangements are to be completed at that time.

Communion and reception of members at the Methodist church next Sunday morning, and preaching in the evening at 7 o'clock in the audience room by the pastor, followed by Y. P. S. C. E. meeting. Communion service at the Congregational church in the morning.

The annual excursion to Cottage City occurs next Saturday, with the privilege of spending the Sabbath and returning on Monday, the fare for the round trip being \$2.50. Leave Monson at 8.30 for New London, arrive at Cottage City at 3.30 p. m. Returning leave Cottage City Monday at 9 a. m.

The grand chance of the season to visit Saratoga, via Miller's Falls and the Hoosier tunnel, next Wednesday, returning Thursday, only \$2 for the round trip. Leave Monson Wednesday morning at 9.30 and arrive at Saratoga at 3 p. m.; returning next day, leave Saratoga at 2.30 p. m.

The Ladies' Aid Society and the Y. P. S. C. E. of the Methodist church will hold a joint social in the vestry next Wednesday evening. Supper will be served from 7 to 8 o'clock, consisting of cake and corn Chowder. Ice cream and cake will be served. At 8 o'clock there will be an entertainment.

One is led to realize the fact that the luncheon season is near at hand, and by the Sunday shooting, also the killing of game out of season. Perhaps it will not be out of place to inform those who are committing both of the above acts that they are being watched, and if caught will be punished according to the law.

The Academy began its fall term yesterday with an attendance of 105, and a few more were expected. Principal Duxton was made happy one day this week by the gift of money sufficient to engage another teacher, and the faculty this year will number five. The dormitory is full, but rooms can be engaged outside.

The quartermen at the Flynt granite works, who were locked out by the firm at the time of the trouble with the Manufacturers' Association, and who refused to go back on terms dictated by the union, acknowledged themselves beaten yesterday morning and applied for their old places as individuals. Such of them as the company has work for are being taken back.

Personal.

Miss Lizzie L. Lull is visiting her friend, Mrs. F. P. Strong, at Williamstown.

Mrs. Dwight Slaw and son William of Westboro were in town this week.

Miss Cora Maria Davis of Ware is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Morris.

William Sever of New Haven is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Severy.

J. T. Leonard and family of Warren have been visiting relatives in town this week.

Frederick H. G. of Providence, R. I., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Hobbs.

Michael O'Brien, of O'Brien Bros., is at Watch Hill and Block Island on a week's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvanus Deane are visiting at Albany, and are to take a sail down the Hudson.

Mrs. Edward Perrin and daughter Myrtle, and Mrs. Eugene Howlett have returned from Camp White.

Nicholas J. Hanley is again seen at his post of duty on Narragansett, delivery team after a short vacation.

Harry Chapin leaves to-morrow for a bicycle trip to New Haven, where he will be the guest of his cousin, Fred Root.

Mrs. C. H. Tryon and daughter have returned from a visit at various places in Massachusetts and Connecticut.

Mrs. Susan Williams has returned from Bloomfield, Ct., where she has been spending about three weeks with her brother.

C. E. Smith and M. S. Taylor have returned from a four-weeks' camping out at New London, and report a most enjoyable time.

Miss Musa Babbitt has returned from Watch Hill, where she has been spending several weeks as water at the Atlantic House.

Mrs. F. P. Bradley left Wednesday for Rockville, Ct., for a short visit with relatives, and her husband will leave to-morrow to join her.

BELCHERTOWN.

The date for the annual cattle show has been fixed as October fifth.

About 400 of the Grand Army men and their friends will attend the annual encampment at Washington.

Referees for an "Old Folks' Concert," to be given on the evening of September 12th, were commenced Monday.

Two sticks of timber for the new liberty pole on the common have arrived. The new

pole is to be 155 feet high. H. D. Hoag has the contract for doing the work.

E. J. Griggs post of the Grand Army has engaged G. A. Woodroffe & Co.'s, Bohemian Glassblowers to give a week's entertainment in the town hall, commencing next Monday.

WILBRAHAM.

The Academy commenced its fall term on Wednesday.

The public schools of the town will begin next week with these teachers: District No. 1, Miss Rosa B. Eaton; 2, Nellie J. Crawford; 3, Minnie Hec; 4, Carrie E. Conlin; 5, Eva Cunningham; 6, Mira Chapin; 7, L. E. Goodwin; 8, advanced, Mattie M. Bliss, primary, Maria E. Bliss.

Arrangements are being made for the suitable observance of Columbus Day, October 21st. All the schools of the town are to be equipped with flags, which will be raised with appropriate ceremonies on that day. A general gathering of the school-children will take place in the South church, with speaking and music.

HOLLAND.

The rate of taxation in town this year is \$16 on \$100; last year \$12.

Summer boarders and transient visitors are unusually plenty at the hotel.

Our schools began next week, and the same teachers as last year are expected to train the young folks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Glazier are making an extended visit at Putnam, Ct., Worcester and other places.

A house belonging to Brailley & Heck in the southwest part of the town was consumed by fire Wednesday night of last week, with its contents.

Francis Wright, the possessor of an unoccupied house in town, became aware some time since that a colony of bees had taken possession of the space under the chamber floor to the west of the house.

Removed from the cavity 122 pounds of nice honey. Nature seems to smile on some people, always filling their laps with good things. Why could not those bees have stopped at some poor man's house?

NORTH WILBRAHAM.

Miss Maud Benis will attend Monson Academy the present term.

Harry and Arthur Ellis of Brookline are on a visit to friends in town.

Eddie Parker of Springfield has been visiting friends in town this week.

Mrs. George D. Keith is slowly recovering from her recent severe illness.

Charles H. Thayer and family of Indian Orchard visited friends in town Sunday.

The 6.45 p. m. preaching service will be resumed at Grace church next Sunday evening.

Mrs. Samuel E. Baker of River Forest, near Chicago, Ill., was the guest of Mrs. E. W. Wall this week.

Rev. Edwin F. Wheeler has returned from his vacation, and will be in his pulpit again at Grace church next Sunday.

Bert Clark of Warren, who has been in town a number of weeks, returns to his school duties in Warren next Sunday.

Miss M. O. Wood, Misses Emily Phillips, Nellie Gove and Jennie West took a carriage drive to the campground at Northampton, Sunday. Mrs. Wood held the ribbons behind a pair of W. L. Collins's best.

Services at Grace church next Sunday are as follows: Preaching by the pastor at 10.45 a. m.; Sunday school at 12 m.; meeting of Y. P. S. C. E. at 6 p. m. The Lord's supper will be celebrated in the morning.

Officer Cooley notified Mr. Philbott, owner of the steamer "Clippers Liver," to cease running his craft in Wilbraham waters Sunday. Mr. Philbott was somewhat incensed, but the prevailing opinion seems to be that the Sunday trips will be discontinued.

In an item from the Ludlow correspondent of one of the weekly papers either Wilbraham or Springfield is set down on, because, as alleged, the husbands of the good women of Ludlow Mills are enticed over the river and led to drink that which turns the brain and makes a man a fool. The wives of North Wilbraham have cause for complaint, also, in that their husbands often go over the river and find on Ludlow soil that which intoxicates, and while the Ludlow authorities would devise means to have a certain rum-hole broken up.

BRIMFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Bacon, Sr., have arrived in town.

Mrs. Susan Ward is curing for a sick niece in Cambridge.

Miss Ida Agard teaches at the west brick schoolhouse this term.

Miss Smith will be the new teacher at the Center school this fall.

Paul Chase of Monson is visiting his sister, Mrs. Edward Bliss.

Miss Bessie Brown was given a surprise party Tuesday evening.

Miss Fannie Gates has accepted a position as teacher in Holbrook.

Mrs. Will James left town today for an extended visit in New Hampshire.

Mrs. Lucetta Carpenter of Worcester is the guest of her brother, John Morgan.

Miss Kate Callahan has been visiting her sister, Frank Newton, for several weeks.

Mrs. Stoughton and daughter Grace of Brooklyn, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. Samuel Brown.

Misses Ida and Flora Agard have returned from Watch Hill, where they were employed as table girls.

George Streeter returned home Monday after a stay of a week with his parents in North Adams.

Mrs. John Converse left for New York city Wednesday in company with her sister, Mrs. McNally of that city.

Dr. and Mrs. Savin attended the Eastern Hampden Medical Society's meeting in Springfield yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Burkhorn of Boston spent a week in town recently, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will James.

Miss Jennie Livermore returns to her school in Chicopee Monday, and Miss Lillian Brown to hers in Indian Orchard.

Dr. R. V. Savin's new house is nearly completed, and will be a finely furnished home. The inside is finished in hard wood, and polished, and will be a house of neatness as well as beauty.

Mrs. Samuella Brown, while working in her dooryard last Saturday, caught her foot, and broke her shoulder. Dr. R. V. Savin was called and set the shoulder, with the assistance of Dr. Fuller of Monson.

The Hitchcock Free High School building is being greatly improved under the patient skillful hand, and the grounds made more attractive than usual. The school commences its 35th year of instruction next Wednesday, with five teachers.

Tuition fees, twenty dollars for college. Three of last year's teachers have resigned their positions, and other competent ones have been secured to fill the vacancies. Among them Miss F. A. Clark, a graduate of Salem Normal School, who has had six years' experience in teaching and will introduce the normal method, thus affording to members and graduates of this school and other high schools and academies a rare opportunity to become trained teachers after the most approved normal method.

WARREN.

Mrs. M. A. Fairbanks is vacationing at Nantasket.

A recent walk has been put around the soldiers' monument.

Mrs. Jennings is spending a few days with her sister in Maiblen.

T. P. Clark left last Saturday for a visit among the Berkshire Hills.

Mrs. E. M. Davis of Wilmington is the guest of Mrs. F. L. Lincoln.

Miss E. A. Stone of Pithburgh is the guest of George Bliss on High street.

Mrs. Dux and Miss Shaw have returned from a four-weeks' stay at Saratoga.

Mrs. Fairbanks entertained the Ladies' Circle, Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Alford Donnell is to enter the New England Conservatory of Music this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fairbanks are enjoying the mountain air in the Adirondacks.

Revs. O. J. Darling, H. G. Hale and S. B. Sweetser have returned from their vacations.

Charles Converse, wife and son have gone to Boston and Malden on a trip, to be absent ten days.

Miss S. S. Sanson and Miss Clara Galley of North Adams are guests of E. Allen Day on Coy's Hill.

The pulpit of the Congregational church was occupied last Sunday by Rev. W. G. Scholope of Clinton.

The body of Mrs. Orill Bridges Trent, formerly of this place but late of Westfield, was brought here for burial Monday.

The annual meeting of the Warren Aqueduct Co. will be held next Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cutler Morse have returned from Old Orchard, Me., and Miss E. E. Sylvester is back from Cottage City.

Miss Mary C. Darhank, who has been spending the last two months in Europe, sailed Sunday from Liverpool for New York.

A tennis tournament was held on the tennis grounds Thursday afternoon between the Warren, East Brookfield, North Brookfield and Spencer clubs.

The book and ladder company was out for practice Monday night, and 42 seconds was all the time required to put a ladder up on a building and return.

The Republican caucus, for the choice of delegates to the state, county, congressional and senatorial conventions, will be held in the town hall to-morrow evening.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of North Adams, Mass., held a social at the home of Mrs. J. G. Leach last Monday afternoon and starting suddenly stumbled and fell, injuring one leg somewhat but doing no serious damage.

The town had a visit from a party of Polanders last Friday, the railroad company leaving them here when their destination was Warren, R. I. They departed at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Miss Florence White, who lives on the old West Brookfield road, will soon leave for Guadalajara, Mexico, where she will teach school. She has recently returned from Japan, where she has been as a missionary and teacher.

John Newton and Dan Grace were assessed \$8 each by Justice Tyler on Monday for disturbing the peace on Water street Saturday night. The case of Martin Ravin, who was howling drunk Saturday, was continued until next Monday.

Samuel Gravelin, Jr., while fooling with a 32-caliber revolver last Saturday night, accidentally discharged the weapon and the ball entered the calf of his leg, going nearly through. Dr. Deland removed the bullet and the patient is doing well.

The annual reunion of the Blodgett family occurred Tuesday, when Mrs. Allen Blodgett was 91 years old. Among those present from out of town were Dr. Julius Blodgett of Newton, Mr. Charles Blodgett of Holyoke, Dr. Albert Blodgett of Springfield, and Mrs. M. O. Frank Blodgett of Springfield and Mrs. Jennie Patrick-Walker of Boston, besides the numerous members of the family still living here.

A number of the bicycle boys met Tuesday night and formed a bicycle club with the following officers: President, George Campbell; vice-president, F. D. Shum; secretary, Harry Reed; treasurer, Charles Horton; captain, Arthur Bennett; first lieutenant, Frank Bliss; color bearer, N. Ingledwell; C. N. Sibley. The club will belong to the League of American Wheelmen, and all members must be members of the league.

WARE.

The Chapin residence on Church street has been sold to Miss Emma V. Hall.

The Ware Cadet Band has been engaged to furnish music at the picnic at Forest Lake next Monday.

Services at All Saints' church are to be resumed as usual next Sunday, the summer vacation being over.

Harry A. Magrath has the contract for building a dwellinghouse and barn for M. J. Gorman at Harlowick.

The Imperial Insurance Co. of London has paid Charles Nickerson \$300 for damages on a point shop by fire a short time ago.

Louis Le Clair and Dr. Etienne, together with Arthur Etienne of Springfield, started on Wednesday for a bicycle trip to visit some of their relatives in Canada. They expect to average at least 75 miles a day.

A bad leak in a joint of the main water pipe at the corner of Main and Bank streets made it necessary to shut the street supply off nearly all day Tuesday to make repairs. It is at such times as this that people realize what a great blessing our water supply is.

The Ware base ball club is to play ball with the Thorndikes to-morrow afternoon at the Palmer park for \$100 a side and the championship. Both clubs are to have one side help, and no doubt there will be a lively game. A special train will leave Gilbertville at 2.10 and Ware at 2.15 p. m. for Palmer.

Miss Florence White of West Brookfield, a returned missionary from Japan, will give a lecture on the ways and people of that country at the French Congregational church on Tuesday evening. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the church. Miss White is to speak in Japanese costume, and the lecture is to be illustrated with stereoscopic views. The admission is to be 25 cents.

The King's Daughters, Circle of Glenside, held a social and entertainment in the East Congregational church on Wednesday evening, which was well attended. The proceeds are to be used for benevolent purposes. The musical and literary entertainment consisted of singing by Messrs. H. B. and W. A. Anderson, piano selections and recitations by Miss Warner of Harlowick, who is a very pleasing young reader. Miss Lawton, who was expected to sing, was unable to do so on account of a severe cold.

The West Brookfield Cornet Band, under the leadership of Mr. E. A. Hawk, is to visit the Ware Cadet Band to-morrow, and at 7.30 to give an outdoor concert on George Holden's lawn. The following is the program:

March-Saltire.....E. Christy

Overture-Zeliska.....F. Young

Waltz-Once out and Play.....Brooks

Song and Dance-Schottische-Dejlig.....Missard

Serenade-Arioso.....J. Moore

March-Relay.....F. Keller

Waltz-Soothing Song.....H. Webb

Overture-Mercury.....C. Hart

Gigue-Wild Wood.....C. Hart

Dunham-Storrs.

One of the most prominent events that has taken place in town for some time was the marriage on Tuesday evening of G. W. Dunham, teller in the Ware Savings Bank, to Miss M. O. O. daughter of J. H. Storrs. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride and was performed by Rev. C. W. Dunfield of Boston, formerly rector of the Trinity Episcopal church. The bride was given away by her father, the maid of honor was Miss Mary B. Storrs, her sister, and there were three bridesmaids, Miss Florence M. Davis of Rockville, Ct., and Misses Clara P. Ladd and Alice L. Tucker of Ware. The best man was Robert D. Binney of Buffalo, N. Y., and the ushers were Allen H. Crossley of Harlowick, and the bride's present to the groom was a diamond stud. The bride presented included many handsome gifts. Barr of Springfield was caterer and the Philharmonic Orchestra of Springfield furnished music. There were a large number of prominent guests present from out of town. Mr. and Mrs. Dunham took the late train for Chicago and will return in three weeks and live in the new house on High street which Mr.

Dunham has recently built. Mr. and Mrs. Dunham have many firm friends in town who wish them both long and happy lives.

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# The Journal.

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 16, 1892.

PRESIDENT HARRISON will have the heart-felt sympathy of all the sickens of his wife, who is at Long Lake, unable to be moved, suffering from a complication of disorders which are likely to prove fatal, although the physicians do not give up hope yet. Throughout the length and breadth of the land many prayers will be offered for her recovery.

DRUGS internal dissensions in Venezuela the British colony has so extended its borders that it now claims a considerable portion which up to the present time has been under the care of the United States, and the valuable gold mines of the Province of Bolivar, which the United States has been so long down there to look after American interests in that country.

From the present outlook it would seem that in any event the probability is to have a new sheriff next year, the probability being that the Democrats will not renominate Sheriff Brooks, but will try their fortunes with ex-City Marshal John H. Crane of Springfield. Against him the claims of Springfield are not likely to be made. E. P. Clark of Holyoke, with a most excellent chance of election, has been a member of the 10th regiment, and has served in the last militia since its organization in 1888, besides being for seven or eight years commander of the Springfield Army post, and has been elected for 20 years. In 1878 he was elected water commissioner of the city, and has held the office ever since. For the past 15 years he has been on the school committee of the city, for the greater part of the time having the endorsement of the Democrats, and at the last election being nominated by them. He is probably as strong a candidate as the Republicans could put up.

It has been some years since Eastern Hampden has had the Republican nomination for senator, the last time being in 1878, when Charles L. Gardner of the city was elected. Springfield has usually had the controlling voice and vote in the matter, but now that she has the nomination for governor, and that for congressman practically assured, other towns think she might spare them some of her honors this year. As she has made very few claims on the district in the past it is likely that she will ask the privilege of naming the candidate for senator for the coming election, her choice being understood to be A. A. Gage. Mr. Gage has been urged to enter the field, not only by his own town, but by some of the most prominent men of the party in Springfield, and will accept if nominated. Mr. Gage has good qualifications for the office. He is a Grand Army man, which would doubtless give him some additional votes, and he has been engaged in active business could give his whole time to the duties of the position.

The name of Charles L. Gardner as a candidate for the office of district attorney is meeting with general approval among the Republicans hereabouts, if anything can be judged by the expressions which the Springfield *Independent* says: "Of the four men who stand ready to take the district attorneyship, the one who overtops the other three, head and shoulders, is Lawyer Gardner, of Palmer. His nomination seems to be assured, and his chances of election are good, especially if the Republicans take the interest they ought in filling this important position." And the *Republican* thinks that "the outlook is that Lawyer Charles L. Gardner of Palmer will be nominated. He is a man of the highest character and solid ability, who might well have been earlier brought to the front." The public interest would certainly be in his care." The *Westfield Times and News-Letter* says that "the Republicans are fortunate in having so strong a man to present to the people for the important office of district attorney as they have in Lawyer Charles L. Gardner of Palmer. He will command the confidence and support of the solid and substantial citizens of the district."

The cholera scare at New York has assumed a more serious aspect this week, six cases having been discovered in the city, five of them proving fatal. New Haven also thinks it has a case, an Italian having been found in a field suffering from symptoms which seem to indicate that the trouble is cholera. At quarantine there have been several more deaths and new cases. One of the principal topics of the week has been the attempt of the health officer to land the cabin passengers of the *Norwegian* on Fire Island, and the resistance of the residents. The passengers protested against being kept on shipboard with the cholera, and when kept on shore they were sick with it, and the state purchased a portion of the island for the purpose of removing them to it until all danger was past, the part which it was intended to use being some miles from any town. The residents of the island, however, gathered with guns and prevented the landing of the passengers, and even refused to let them have bedding, they being obliged to sleep in the open air on the deck. An injunction against their landing was procured, and was enforced by the United States marshal, who ordered out a couple of companies of troops, and the passengers were finally landed.

## HAILE AND VOLCOTT.

The Republican state convention met at Boston Wednesday, and as the result William H. Haile of Springfield and Roger Wolcott of Boston will be the standard-bearers of the party in the November election. The convention was a large one, about 100 of the 127 delegates being absent. Don Charles H. Allen was chairman. The name of Mr. Haile was presented by Willard H. Howland of Chelsea, and was seconded by ex-Gov. Robinson of Springfield, and he was nominated by acclamation. The name of Mr. Wolcott was presented by John W. Howland of Chelsea, and was seconded by ex-Gov. Robinson of Springfield, and he was nominated by acclamation. There were four candidates in the field, and the first ballot resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes.....167  
Necessary for a choice.....84  
Roger Wolcott of Boston.....44  
John C. R. Adams of New Bedford.....44  
James M. Reed of Lynn.....44  
Samuel C. Darling of Somerville.....2  
Thomas S. Hart of Boston.....2

The names of Mr. Darling and Mr. Reed were then withdrawn, and the second ballot, with 155 necessary for a choice, gave Mr. Wolcott 80, and Mr. Adams 75, the nomination of Mr. Wolcott being secured. The full ticket nominated is: Governor, William H. Haile of Springfield; Lieutenant Governor, Roger Wolcott of Boston; Treasurer, William H. Haile of Springfield; Attorney General, Albert E. Pillsbury of New Bedford; Auditor, John W. Howland of Chelsea. The platform approved the administration of President Harrison, opposed the inflation of the currency and demanded a national currency; it also demanded the restoration of the Democratic policy of restoring state banks; the extension and maintenance of the civil service law was approved; a protective tariff was favored, and legislation restricting indiscriminate immigration recommended; the preservation of public lands and public roads with state aid to such towns as are unable to maintain them, legislation to regulate and repress the lobby, better men for the next Legislature, liberal appropriations for the state militia, the enactment and enforcement of practical temperance legislation, were other points mentioned.

Ex-Gov. John D. Long and General Nathaniel B. Banks were chosen electors-at-large, and these by districts: First, Joseph C. Brown of Greenfield; Second, Edward B. Johnson of Brookfield; Third, Edward B. Johnson of Brookfield; Fourth, James C. Phillips, Jr., of Fitchburg; Fifth, Peter C. Smith of Andover; Sixth, Frank Conner of Salem; Seventh, E. S. Conner of Malden; Eighth, John W. Howland of Chelsea; Ninth, Jonathan A. Hall of Boston; Tenth, John W. Howland of Chelsea; Eleventh, John W. Howland of Chelsea; Twelfth, Benjamin L. Jones of Westfield; Thirteenth, John W. Howland of Chelsea; Fourteenth, John W. Howland of Chelsea.

## PALMER NEWS.

F. W. Donnell will preach in the Advent chapel next Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Ball will preach in the Congregational church again next Sunday.

A party of about 20 ladies spent the day last Saturday at Flynth Park in Monson.

Judge Shaw presided in the district court yesterday and to-day, in the absence of Judge Robinson.

Joseph J. Sullivan and Larry Smith, in the "Blue Bird" will appear in the opera house this evening.

A long distance telephone has been placed in the office of the Flynth Building and Construction Company.

The first of the Cape Cod cranberries, exceptionally fine looking ones, have arrived in the local markets this week.

Agent Edson of the State Board of Education, is arranging for a teachers' institute, to be held in this place next week after next.

The annual free ride of the stockholders of the Boston and Albany road to Boston comes the 28th, a week from next Wednesday.

The Palmer Savings Bank, as required by law to close in three years, is calling in the books of its depositors for verification.

The schools will be closed next Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons to give the scholars an opportunity to attend the cattle show.

The school committee held a special meeting last Saturday to consider the matter of more extensive English study in the high school.

The date of Rev. H. F. Moulton's installation as pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal church will be either the 17th or 20th of October.

The service of forty-hours' devotion has been observed at St. Thomas's Catholic church this week, commencing Sunday and ending Tuesday.

Five special trains from Boston are to be run over the Boston and Albany road next Sunday to carry the Grand Army boys to the encampment at Washington.

Capt. H. E. W. Clark, C. H. Hobbs, F. J. Wasson, H. N. Sedgwick and C. W. Cross appeared with the Knights Templar in the parade in Springfield today.

Road-trip tickets to the meeting of the Massachusetts State Firemen's Association at Northampton will be sold over the Boston and Albany road for five cents.

The early morning train down the Ware River river was delayed several hours yesterday by the breaking of a large one of the driving wheels of the engine.

The Flynth Building and Construction Company has just closed a contract with Schwartzbach, Huber & Co. of New York to erect a silk mill for them in Andover, Pa.

There was a fair attendance at the Norfolk Jubilee Singers and cake walk in the opera house on Monday evening. The singing was excellent, the quartette being especially fine.

A. E. Park has resigned as treasurer of the Second Congregational parish, and the committee has appointed J. H. Tuttle, to whom the pew rents are payable in the future.

The law was "off" partridges yesterday, and as usual a number of hunters were out after the game. W. J. and Silas Keith brought in seven partridges and three woodcock.

The dental rooms in Hater's block are closed again. Dr. Walker leaving Saturday for New York state, and they will probably not be opened again until the new proprietor takes possession.

Cornelius Harrington, who some months ago was run over by the coal team of J. P. Holbrook, and who was supposed to be fatally injured, has recovered sufficiently to be at work again.

The date for the appearance of the Walter Emerson Concert Company, announced last week as Oct. 24, has been changed to some time later in the season, not yet definitely determined upon.

The Columbia celebration on the 21st of October will be appropriately observed by the schools of the town.

The celebration of the 100th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence will be observed by all the schools of the town, in the opera house.

The vacancy in the quota of associate justices of the district court caused by the death of Henry F. Brown of Brimfield has been filled by the appointment of Lawyer George H. Newton of Monson, who qualified yesterday.

Persons who were on Main street Tuesday afternoon will not need to go to New York to hear "Tarara." The little Italian may not have the "attractive personality" of Lottie Collins, but he at least put vigor enough into his words.

Another game of ball to settle the championship of two towns will be played on Wednesday afternoon, between the Monsons and the Bondsvids. Each team has won a game, and the one tomorrow is expected to be for "blood."

The Wagner parlor car "Pilgrim" went south over the New London Northern road Wednesday morning to bring back from New London a party of Buffalo people who had been spending the summer at the Pequot House on the shore in that city.

The Daughters of Rebekah and the Old Fellows and their families enjoyed a pleasant evening in the rooms of the order on Tuesday, the occasion being a social given by the Rebekahs. Refreshments were served, followed by cards and other games.

Only half a dozen of the local Grand Army boys will go to the encampment at Washington next week: Commander DeWitt, William Thornhill, D. J. Mahoney, W. W. Converse, J. H. Davis, George W. Seymour, Frank J. Conner and Daniel Brown.

An excursion to Montreal, P. Q., for the Provincial Exhibition, is offered by the New London Northern road, at the rate of \$8.50 for the round trip, the tickets being good going from the 12th to the 17th of this month, and for the return trip good until the 20th.

C. Julian Tuttle of this place, who is studying law at the University of Andover, has married next Thursday afternoon at St. Louis, Mo., to Miss Isabella Stevenson of that city. Mr. Tuttle has been engaged to fill the pulpit at Newville, N. H., the coming year.

A change of time went into effect on the New London Northern road Monday, only change at this station, however, being the putting of the 8.25 a. m. train for the south back to 8.40. The parlor car which has been running between New London and Brattleboro for a few weeks, was taken off.

The quarterly meeting of the Springfield branch of the Woman's Board of Missions was held in the Congregational church Wednesday, but owing to the storm there was only a small attendance, something like 25 in the forenoon and 50 in the afternoon. Some very interesting papers were read. The ladies of the local branch served a collation at noon.

The town clock was on a strike, or off a strike, or on a strike, or off a strike, for a few days the first of which at any rate it was taking a vacation from duty, and people felt that something had gone out of their existence when they did not hear the strokes of the clock each hour. It is now more in running order, however.

The contracts for the changes in the grade of the Boston and Albany tracks and the highway east of the village have been awarded. The earthwork for both crossings will be done by Newell & Snowball, and the masonry work by the Flynth Building and Construction Co. of this place will do the stone-work for the Tenneyville crossing and Mr. Mansell of Boston that for the one at Blanchardville.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Congregational church will give a social in the parlors of the church next Wednesday, and everybody is invited to attend. As the affairs of this society are always enjoyable ones, there will be a good attendance.

Among other queer things which the ticket-seller at the passenger station is supposed to do is to return every passenger who he has sold tickets for an indefinite time, so that their friends may be able to trace them. The other day a man who was looking for his sister, whom he supposed had run away, desired to know if two tickets had been sold several days before to Thorndike. The seller rather thought that there had.

C. E. Doney has sold his house on South Main street and the vacant lot beside it to A. S. Campbell, the blacksmith, but will have rooms in the house for the present. Mr. Campbell proposes to put up a building on the vacant lot, and to build a house on the vacant lot, which is to be 25 by 125 feet, two stories, will begin next week. Mrs. Campbell's father, G. A. Spaulding of Ware, and daughter, will live with her.

Andrew Pimney has sold his interest in the firm of Washburn, Pimney & Co. and the stock of clothing to Daniel Sanford of Boston. The store has been closed for three or four days while the new owner has been taking account of stock, but will be opened again tomorrow, when the whole stock will be offered at half price and the new owner has bargains may be looked for. Mr. Wasson still does custom tailoring business at the same stand.

The Connecticut River Railroad announces its annual cheap excursion to the White Mountains, the fare for the round trip from Springfield to Falmouth, N. H., being \$5, and for the return trip \$4. The tickets will be good Sept. 15, 17, 19, 21, 23, 25, and 27, and will be good for nine days, including day of sale. From Falmouth and Bethlehem Junction round-trip fares of one way will be made to points in the White Mountain territory. Trains leave Springfield at 9:15 a. m. and 4:15 p. m.

Joseph Becker, who has been making a brave fight against consumption for some time, died at his home on Main street Wednesday morning. He was formerly employed by the Flynth Building and Construction Company, and some years ago had his foot injured by a stone falling upon it, which caused the trouble. He was a native of Germany, and had been in the country for many years.

Mr. Richards, the architect from Boston, visited the school yesterday. He is the architect of the new school building, and is now in the city of Boston, where he will make a study of the new school building.

Rev. Mr. Blackford of Monson spoke to the children last Sabbath morning. Mr. Wheeler's school, from Cambridge, spent the Sabbath with his parents. The school of the village is nearly completed, 100 acres of corn being required to fill it.

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John McCarry of Springfield has finished the shelling of the new corn, the job requiring 25 tons of Maine slate. Mr. McCarry is now in the city of Boston, where he will make a study of the new school building.

Mr. Sisk, the driver of the messenger team, was given an agreeable surprise Wednesday morning when he was told by the officers with money sufficient to enable him to visit Washington and view the Grand Army parade and other sights there next week. Leave of absence had been secured from the superintendent, and all arrangements made, the only thing remaining for Mr. Sisk to do was to pack his grip and start.

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Next Week's Fair. The fourth annual exhibition of the Eastern Agricultural Society commences next Tuesday and Wednesday, and after the unfavorable weather of the past two years the directors are hoping for a better luck this time. Extra palus have been taken in the present season, and the attendance is expected to be large. Considerable work has been done on the grounds and in the buildings the past week, and the buildings for all exhibits are assured. The pens for the cattle, sheep and swine have been repaired, and the water in the barn on the grounds, besides the new ones at the east end of the grounds, making fourteen new ones. It is expected that the collection of both days, but more especially Wednesday, will call out a large crowd than the previous day. The track has been under the care of Thomas Blanchard during the summer, and will be in the best possible condition. Some good trotting races in the faster classes are also looked for. In the lower classes, the day races will be given the lower by putting up shavings at a convenient height, both around the sides of the main and over the table in the center. Entries have been coming in all the week, with a prospect that the number will be large in all departments. The race adopted for the horses and ponies will be followed this year, and Prof. William P. Brooks of Amherst, J. W. Kallins of Worcester, and C. A. Ballou of Worcester have been secured. As usual the first day is given up to the sale of the horses. The admission for the first day will be 25 cents to all except members, who will be admitted free; on the second day the admission will be 50 cents to all but members, who will be 25 cents. The president of the society is W. M. P. Marry, and the secretary is J. L. Pierce. The committee on the fair is J. K. Kuo; superintendent of upper hall, J. K. Kuo; superintendent of lower hall, G. W. Fisher; renting grounds, William Merriam; chief marshal, W. E. Fay.

State Primary School Notes. Mrs. Hall, an aunt of Mrs. Wheeler, spent Monday at the school. Five neglected children were admitted to the school. A cartload of flour, about 125 barrels, has been received this week. Mr. and Mrs. McKee are expected back from their vacation today.

Mr. Richards, the architect from Boston, visited the school yesterday. He is the architect of the new school building, and is now in the city of Boston, where he will make a study of the new school building.

John McCarry of Springfield has finished the shelling of the new corn, the job requiring 25 tons of Maine slate. Mr. McCarry is now in the city of Boston, where he will make a study of the new school building.

Mr. Sisk, the driver of the messenger team, was given an agreeable surprise Wednesday morning when he was told by the officers with money sufficient to enable him to visit Washington and view the Grand Army parade and other sights there next week. Leave of absence had been secured from the superintendent, and all arrangements made, the only thing remaining for Mr. Sisk to do was to pack his grip and start.

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wondering whether they are getting returns enough to pay them. Any lover of his would do well to call on Mrs. W. H. Noble and see her collection of paintings. They are all her own work, and she has some fine ones. Mrs. Noble gives lessons either singly or in class. She is also prepared to execute orders for paintings.

One of the hands in the mill was cut off an attack of illness Sunday in rather a peculiar manner. He was excused from work on Saturday on a plea of sickness; the department in which he was employed had considerable work to do on Sunday and he was sent to the mill to see that the work was done. It is supposed that he suddenly recovered somewhat, at any rate he secured a load and went up the river after grapes. In reaching for the fruit he leaned over too far and was soon in the water all over. He was at work the next day, but does not relish allusions to the cold water cure.

The ball team went to Monson last Saturday, and were defeated by the umpire, 1 to 3. The boys got one of the worst roasting of a team ever had. The crowd was one of the worst that ever assembled here. People here at Monson thought that Thorndike was a poor play to play ball, but since last Saturday they have a different opinion. The club wish to tender their thanks to Mr. Sullivan for the fair and many ways in which he has helped them. They have been glad to find one gentleman there. The worst decision was given in the eighth inning. State was hit and hunted the ball. Two wild throws let him home. When he reached the plate the Monson catcher spoke to the umpire and asked him to call a strike, but he was hit by the ball, when it was perfectly evident that the ball did not go anywhere near him. The same team will play on the Palmer Driving Park tomorrow afternoon for \$50 a side, with Fitzpatrick for umpire, and if the boys play the game they usually do they will bring that \$100 home.

THREE RIVERS. Mrs. Talbot visited friends in Ware yesterday. Miss Cora Cowie is visiting her parents in Wilbraham.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Arnold visited town last Sunday. A. W. Warner and wife are away on a few days' vacation.

Mrs. O. Powell has returned after a vacation of several days. Mrs. Osmond of Boston spent Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. Percy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Kuo spent Wednesday with Mrs. Henry of Palmer. E. W. Pearson of Westfield spent Sunday in town visiting friends.

John Rivers is building a large addition to his storehouse on Main street. Mrs. Peck has returned from Vermont after an absence of many weeks.



















NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

MONSON.

William Grant is building an addition to his house.  
R. C. Miller has returned after a two-weeks' vacation.  
Wesley Supter's house has just received a new coat of paint.  
A new platform has been laid in front of Chamber's drug store.  
Mrs. William Wilcox is at home after a two-weeks' vacation.  
Mrs. E. A. Maxwell and son spent last Sabbath at Stafford.  
R. S. Gorman of Westboro is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Rogers.  
Mrs. Harry Merchant is spending the week with her husband at Canton.  
G. L. Kenney was at his home in Vernon, Ct., Tuesday and Wednesday.  
A piazza has been added to the residence of Mrs. Parker on Main street.  
George M. Knowlton of Worcester is spending his vacation in town.  
Mrs. W. H. Bart of Springfield is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. M. T. Clark.  
Miss Annie Butler of Lowell has been visiting friends in town the past week.  
For journey at the superior court W. A. Supter and M. D. Maloney were drawn.  
C. E. Gibbs, wife and daughter, have been the guests of L. W. Root the past week.  
Miss Blanche Pease of Palmer spent a few days the past week with relations in town.  
Misses L. and E. Williams held their fall millinery opening Wednesday and Thursday.  
Washington street is being graded and will be much better when the work is completed.  
Mrs. G. E. Fuller and C. W. Jackson attended the doctors' meeting in Springfield on Tuesday.  
Rufus S. Scudliffe will attend the Boston conference of physical culture at Boston this winter.  
W. H. Anderson, the tenor artist, has added a choice line of cigars at his rooms on Main street.  
The brick work on the bank building has been completed and the roof is now ready for the shingles.  
Merrick's Music Rooms sold two pianos last week Friday, one to Miss Julia Galloway, the other to Mr. Berthold.  
The pastor of the Congregational church will preach next Sunday especially to the teachers of our public schools.  
Arthur S. Tucker of East Hill was pleasantly surprised at his home last Saturday evening, it being his birthday.  
The credit and honor of throwing the first ball belongs to John Cross.  
The residence of Mrs. L. A. Reed in the south part of the town has been let to parties from Providence, R. I., for \$250.  
At the ball game on the Palmer park last Saturday afternoon the score was 11 to 1.  
A pal has been erected opposite Chamber's drug store for the purpose of holding a fair which will be held in a few days.  
Arthur Orant and George Seymour visited Springfield, Mansfield and Hartford last Saturday, making the trip on their wheels.  
Robert Tait, a student of New York Medical College, spent from Friday to Monday inclusive with his uncle, Rev. James Tait, visiting Rev. Harry Blackford, his brother. He intends entering Trinity Divinity School.  
The new Monson and Palmer Electric Company advertises in another column for poles on which to string their wires in this town.  
The W. N. Flynt Granite Co. has the contract for repairing the Chatham funeral home, the damage done being estimated at several hundred dollars.  
On account of the resignation of Mr. Newton as treasurer of the Monson Cemetery Association, F. D. Hall was elected to fill the vacancy.  
Station Agent Stiles and wife were at the White Mountains a few days the past week. Bert Smith taking his place as station agent during his absence.  
Rev. W. J. Murdie has purchased a country Columbia through C. A. Bradley's agency, and Dr. P. W. Sault has bought a solid first Columbia.  
The residence of Hon. W. N. Flynt on High street is being painted. Mr. Osborn has the contract, and is pushing the work with his force of men.  
G. E. W. M. Tucker took four firsts, four seconds and a third prize at the Palmer show, while other Monson folks came in for their share of prizes.  
Quite a number of the stained windows for the Congregational church have arrived this week, among them the circular one for the rear of the auditorium.  
Last Sabbath Rev. F. S. Hatch preached to the scholars and next Sabbath will preach to the teachers. The discourse last Sunday was very fine, the text being "Be diligent."  
The ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps reached Washington safely and report very good quarters, but the G. A. R. Post was not so fortunate, being delayed because of an accident to a Western train.  
Sunday afternoon a passenger train consisting of thirteen coaches and two engines passed through here, taking on about fifty G. A. R. men, en route for the 25th annual G. A. R. convention at Washington. Several ladies of the Woman's Relief Corps accompanied them, also a few residents of G. A. R. men.  
Between 20 and 30 attended the reception tendered Rev. Harry Blackford and wife at the Universalist church last Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bradley acted as host and hostess, and Messrs. Charles W. King, Charles B. Harding and E. F. Bradley as ushers. Brown's Orchestra furnished music, and light refreshments were served during the evening. Henry E. Hughes presented Mrs. Blackford with a night-blooming cereus, which seemed quite appropriate.  
The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church will give a Whittier evening tonight in the parlors of the church, when the following programme will be rendered: Barfoot Boy, Miss Anna Converse; March, Rev. James Tait; Skipper Trosson's Ride, Miss Gertrude Gage; Scenes from Snow and Sunlight, Barbara Freidrich; Band, Miss B. B. Smith; Harry's Game, Arthur Warren; Admission 10c. Rev. F. S. Hatch's songs. Admission 10c. Refreshments will be served and cake may be procured, and a part of the evening will be given to socializing. Parlor open at 7 o'clock.  
The town will soon have electric lights as now assured fact. C. E. Flynt, president of the electric stockholders and president of the new company at present being organized, has been bought, and the work of stringing the wires to the place will begin at once. The town at present is using kerosene for lighting the streets, and selectmen Newton has been untiring in his efforts to get electricity for the purpose, believing that it would be the best and cheapest way to plant at Palmer is to be run by water, and that the citizens of this place will light their stores and residences by the new light.  
Academy Notes.  
Harry T. Chapin, '93, has gone to Washington to attend the G. A. R. encampment.  
Rev. James Tait's portrait has been removed from the chapel for a short time, and is being re-framed by the artist at Boston.  
The Republicans secured two victories last Friday evening, the Philo and Lane societies deciding in their favor after hot discussions.  
The first rhetorical last Friday night were much enjoyed by all. More interest should be shown by the parents and friends in attending, as their presence would have the tendency to be their best efforts. The average pupils in the best efforts. The average attendance is larger now than at any time of years, and the rhetorical should be uncommon good.  
Prof. A. N. Burke and George Converse left last Saturday morning on route for Somerville, Ct., via Springfield. When about six miles out from Springfield the upper carriage of Mr. Burke's wheel suddenly broke away from the head, so they were compelled to leave the carriage and walk to the village where they disposed of their cushion tire wheel and bought a Victor pneumatic, which he says is a "dandy."  
WARREN.  
A large delegation of ladies and gentlemen have gone to Washington to attend the G. A. R. encampment.  
Mrs. George has purchased a house in Beaconmont and will leave town next week.  
Mr. and Mrs. David Kennedy attended the G. A. R. encampment at Washington.  
Miss Bessie Sargent and Miss Nellie Howe of East Brookfield spent Sunday with friends in town.  
Rev. E. R. Thorndike, presiding elder of the Springfield district, will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday afternoon at

2:30. There will be no preaching services at the morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. William H. Flowers, Sr., of Salem, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Flowers, Jr., of Medford, Mrs. John H. Grandall, with her two children from Newburyport, and Miss Mary E. Flowers, from Salem, are visiting Mrs. Putnam Webber.  
BRIMFIELD.  
The "Mermaid" were again seen on the lake last Friday.  
The Republicans of the town hope to have a tag raising early next week.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Person have gone to the national encampment of the G. A. R. at Washington.  
Dr. J. P. Sherman and H. S. Clapp are painting the Sherman cottage, much to the amusement of the town.  
Dr. and Mrs. W. O. McDonald of New York have been visiting at Lake View, the guests of Mrs. E. T. Sherman.  
Miss Tarrant of New York and Samuel H. Clapp are spending a few weeks at Lake View, the guests of the Misses Sherman.  
Miss Minnie Person, who for the past week has been suffering from the effects of a bad cold, is rapidly improving, thanks to the usual remedy.  
Many residents of the town visited the Springfield cattle show on Friday last, and pronounced it quite a success. As they all returned unimpaired it must be so.  
LUDLOW CENTER.  
Eight new members were initiated in the third and fourth degrees in the Grange Monday evening.  
Most of the old soldiers who were able have gone to Washington this week, and several Sons of Veterans.  
Henry S. Jones and wife, who have been visiting their son in Dover for several weeks, are expected home this week.  
Fred Clark, son of the late Joshua Clark, who left here more than ten years ago and was supposed to be dead, surprised his old neighbors this week by appearing in town healthy and well. He had not been heard from in many years, and his friends mistrusted that he had been foully dealt with, and resides now in San Francisco, Cal., and has a wife and one child. He did not know his father was dead till he reached Springfield. This statement did not know him when he presented himself at the old home. A relative in South Hadley who died several years ago left a legacy of \$150, which he will now doubtless receive.  
WILBRAHAM.  
Wesley Phelps entered Harvard College this week.  
Miss May Morrill is spending a few days with friends in Somers, Ct.  
Dr. Webber is repairing his house and completing a fine new barn.  
The guest of Rev. M. S. Howard.  
President Warren of Wesleyan University, with his family, has returned to Boston.  
Hiram Stephens of Springfield has been spending a few days with Mrs. Stephen Piskit.  
Miss Gertrude Wetherford, who has been quite ill for the past month, is slowly recovering.  
Flavel Benton is resuming his house and making other improvements on the old homestead.  
William Warren, Jr., who has been pursuing a course of study in the Boston University.  
W. E. Sessions read a paper on the adoption of the U. S. constitution by Massachusetts at the annual meeting of the Sons of the Daughters of the Revolution, Saturday afternoon.  
The new sign over Bryson's store reads A. Bryson & Co.  
A. A. Eaton, M. D., V. M., has returned from a vacation trip to Canada.  
Henry C. Shepley of Ware Center is soon to move to Nebraska.  
Nearly 1200 visited Smith's illuminated opening on Tuesday evening.  
A. D. Talbot has sold his home on Spring street to Charles H. Allen for \$2200.  
Rev. C. M. Hall, who has been quite sick, is much improved and is able to be up.  
On Sunday at the Unitarian church H. H. Lincoln of East Boston will be the pulpit.  
The Lord Rector Company is looking for the Town Hall for October 4th.  
Col. E. H. Gilbert has declined to accept the second district congressional nomination.  
Andrew J. Davis has received the appointment of justice of the peace from Gov. Russell.  
Louis W. Leclair, who went to Canada on his bicycle a few weeks ago, has returned to Ware this week.  
The pulpit of the Trinity Episcopal church is to be supplied on Sunday by the Rev. F. J. Paradise of Milford.  
Rev. E. R. Thorndike, presiding elder of this district, will preach in the Methodist church next Sunday.  
John Roun of Ware was fined \$5 by Judge Lyman at the district court last Friday for disturbing the peace.  
A few of the Grand Army boys who went to Washington from here have returned and report a most enjoyable trip.  
William Gahorne has accepted a position as second hand under Fred O. Hugg in the dry house at Pawtucket, R. I.  
Miss Emma Grant of Hardwick is keeping the books at John F. Robinson's hardware store during Miss Trow's vacation.  
The fire department is to have its annual parade and inspection on Saturday of next week, which is usual will be quite an event for the town.  
The members of the Ware Young Men's Union held a private social dance in their hall last Friday evening. There were about 40 couples present.  
George P. Clark has moved to Springfield, where he has taken a position as compositor on the Springfield Republican. His friends wish him success.  
A. Vignat has the contract to build the house near Aspen Grove Cemetery for \$250, and is to have the work completed on or before October 20th.  
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## NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

### MONSON.

A. C. Page's father has been visiting him the past week.  
Harry M. Graves of Springfield is at home for a few days.  
Mrs. Parker's house on South Main street is being painted.  
Miss Anna Day has gone to live with her parents in Ware.  
John Karlberg has closed his store and removed from town.  
Frank Bentley of Providence has been in town the past week.  
A. D. Ellis's house on Bridge street is ready for occupancy.  
Henry P. Miller of South Coventry, Ct., is in town for a few days.  
Mathew Connolly has been visiting in Montreal, has returned.  
H. W. Shaw has been visiting friends in Rockville the past week.  
Miss Maggie Taft of South Framingham is the guest of R. P. Newton.  
Mrs. N. M. Lyon has been spending the week with Mrs. C. W. Holmes.  
W. N. Flynt & Sons are to have an opening of fall clothing next Monday.  
A. D. King will continue his studies at the Worcester School of Technology.  
A. H. King will continue his studies at the Worcester School of Technology.  
F. E. Severy has accepted a position as clerk in W. N. Flynt & Sons' store.  
Charles L. Ricketts has resumed his studies as a sophomore in Tufts University.  
Charles Hays has given up quarrying at Chester and returned to Monson.  
Ralph Clifford attended the fair at Brattleboro, Vt., Wednesday and Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carpenter of High street are visiting friends out of town.  
Myron Wright will enter Governor's Commercial College at Springfield next Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tucker spent a few days in Warren last week among friends.  
Levi Palmer of Southwick has been visiting his uncle, H. W. Palmer, on East Hill.  
The repairs on Bridge street are nearly completed, and show a great improvement.  
The store of W. N. Flynt & Sons is being given a new appearance with a coat of paint.  
Miss Ada Bliss of Boston is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Leonard.  
School house No. 5 will be moved to a new site purchased from J. T. Sullivan in a few days.  
Miss Carrie T. Marsh has been the guest of her cousin, Prof. D. W. Dustin, the past week.  
Paralysis of the throat and tongue confined W. H. Wilson to his bed a few days last week.  
The W. N. Flynt Granite Company is building a cellar for W. A. Squire on Green street.  
A. T. Robinson, formerly clerk in Keeney's drug store, goes to Albany, N. Y., to study medicine.  
Dr. George Dustin of Hartford, was the guest of his son, Prof. D. M. Dustin, last Saturday.  
The W. N. Flynt Granite Company's long men and steam drills are at work at North Brookfield.  
Edward L. Morris sang in the grand chorus of 200 voices at the Worcester festival the past week.  
The public schools were closed Wednesday to allow the teachers to attend the institute at Palmer.  
Oshman's Memorial Fountain has been repaired the past week by the W. N. Flynt Granite Company.  
Arthur Anderson has returned home after a visit among friends in Pawtucket and Woonsocket, R. I.  
Rev. E. F. Wheeler of North Wilbraham will occupy the pulpit of the Congregational church next Sunday.  
Charles Webster attended the meeting of the New England Breeder's Association at Mystic Park, Boston.  
The King's Daughters will hold a special meeting next Monday evening, at 7:30, in the vestry of the M. E. church.  
Edward L. Morris, a graduate of Amherst, will enter Harvard this fall to take a post graduate course in botany.  
Rev. F. S. Hatch, Rev. James Tafts and Prof. D. M. Dustin attended the commencement at Amherst last Tuesday.  
It has been suggested that the Congregational church be wired now for electricity, while the staging is in place for the fire eases.  
The bicycle riders welcome the prospect of electric lights, as many are able to ride only evenings on account of being employed during the day.  
James Tafts, Ph. D., left Monday for Chicago, where he will fill the position of professor of intellectual and moral philosophy in Harper's University.  
Mrs. G. C. Flynt, Miss Esther Holmes, Mrs. A. N. Chapin, Miss Myra Fiske, Miss Addie Peck and others attended the musical festival at Worcester last week.  
Rev. F. S. Hatch gave a stirring and eloquent discourse to the teachers of the schools last Sabbath. There was a full attendance and a large load of teachers came from the state primary school.  
A large attendance is requested at the regular monthly business meeting of the Y. P. B. C. E. of the Congregational church next Sabbath evening, as it is the time for choosing officers for the next six months.  
O. M. Gage's new residence is nearing completion as far as outside work goes, and is to be one of the most attractive homes of its size in town, modern in all respects. Mr. Gage is to wire the same for electricity.  
At the regular meeting of the Monson Branch, 1103, of the Iron Hall, it was voted to disband, and the reserve fund was sent to the order's receiver at Indianapolis. The order here numbered 27, and had been running two years.  
The "Whither evening" given under the auspices of the Y. P. B. C. E. of the Congregational church last Friday evening was a success in every way. It was pronounced by many one of the best of its kind given here for a long time.  
George A. Harvey, L. W. Road, George M. Severy and Harlow Chapin company with Mrs. Thrall, Mrs. Warren, Mrs. Severy and Miss Gage, while in Washington attended a reception given by Mrs. General Logan, which was a grand affair.  
Next Wednesday evening the Ladies' Aid Society and the Y. P. B. C. E. of the Methodist church will give a joint social tea in the vestry. An order supper will be served from 10 to 11, after which a short and interesting program will be rendered.  
All the new windows have now been put into the Congregational church. They are from Phelps, Shoen & Co. of Boston, and the design is very handsome. The decorations on the inside are fast being completed, and it is hoped to again hold services there the last of next month.  
In the severe thunder storm early last Monday morning, the house of William Nelson was struck by lightning. The bolt entered the chimney and then scattered in all directions, tearing the plastering off and making sad havoc with the interior. The loss is fully covered by insurance.  
William Robert, aged 17, son of Henry Nelson, was run over by the morning train at South Springfield, last Saturday. He was lying on a piece of freight car, and while passing a train to a friend was struck by a train, and thrown beneath the wheels, having both legs nearly severed from his body. He lived about two hours after the accident, and the funeral was held at St. Patrick's church Monday morning.  
The W. N. Flynt Granite Company will ship this week the balance of the cut stone to complete the Roman Catholic church and

rectory at New Rochelle, N. Y. The above buildings, together with many others, were only started when the strike began. Several cars of crushed granite for road making were shipped this week. The 250 men employed are now getting out stone for the Boston and Albany Railroad and the New York Mothers' Home, New York City.  
At the Republican caucus held Wednesday evening in Memorial Hall William J. Ricketts was chosen chairman and Prof. D. M. Dustin secretary. The following delegates were chosen: Senatorial, W. J. Ricketts, R. M. Reynolds; county, W. N. Flynt, C. W. King; congressional, G. C. Flynt, F. D. Ball; district attorney, Rufus P. Goddard, Frank E. Morris; representative, W. M. Tucker, C. M. Gage, Cyrus Patrell, Ralph Clifford, D. M. Dustin, Albert Blanchard, L. C. Flynt, William Charles, John Cross. The representative convention will be held in Memorial Hall Saturday at 10 a. m. The whole number of voters cast at the caucus was 81, and both the senatorial delegates received 69, they being the only ones balloted for. It was voted that they be instructed to vote for Solomon F. Cushman.

### Academy Notes.

Miss Devorell spent Sunday at her home in North Coventry, Ct.  
O. A. Greaves spent Sunday with his parents in Westford.  
Miss Mabel Gates spent Sunday with her parents at North Wilbraham.  
A. P. and A. E. Alvon spent Sunday with their sister, Miss M. C. Alvon.  
Edith Tucker, class of '91, left Monday to continue his studies as a sophomore at Yale University.  
William F. Bissell of Holland, a member of the class of '92, spent Sunday with friends at the Hall, on route for Yale to take his entrance examinations.  
Prof. G. H. Flynt, a former teacher, spent Sunday with his brother, E. B. Flynt, at Hammond Hall. He left Tuesday for Yale Seminary, having now more than three to complete.  
The family attended the lecture at Palmer Tuesday evening in connection with the teachers' institute. Wednesday morning recitations commenced at 8, and school was dismissed at noon in order to attend the institute.  
The following is the programme of Monday to-night: Declarations, Closson, '93, and Blair, '93; debate, "Resolved, that the concentration of wealth in the hands of a few is for the best interests of the people of the United States," affirmative, E. B. Francis, '94, negative, C. L. Thompson, '95. The Public Society will present the following program: Music; recitation, Miss Perrin, '93; reading, Miss Converse, '93; music; debate, "Resolved, that intemperance is a greater evil than unrestricted immigration," affirmative, Miss Senior, '93; music; recitation, Miss R. Smith; music.

### LUDLOW CENTER.

The South Hadley grange is to visit the Ludlow grange next Monday evening.  
The Ludlow grange has invited the district grange to hold its next meeting with them.  
The Christian Endeavor society of the Congregational church observes its anniversary next Sunday evening. Three Christian Endeavors from Springfield are expected to be present and give addresses, and Miss Balch of South Hadley is expected to sing.  
HOLLAND.  
Some of those who own cranberry bogs in town will harvest good crops this year.  
J. S. Glazier took second premium on his pair of driving horses at the Southwick fair.  
Miss D. M. Blodgett returns this week to Worcester, after a three-months' vacation at home.  
H. E. Wallis attended the fair at Sturbridge, Palmer and Springfield, and exhibited his herd of thoroughbred Devons, receiving in premiums \$117.20.  
WILBRAHAM.  
Mrs. E. B. Keep of Monson was the guest of Mrs. E. L. Howe recently.  
Mr. Merrill of Provincetown was the guest of Rev. M. S. Howard over Sunday.  
Edith Munsell attended the reunion of his regiment at Westfield last Saturday.  
Quite a number of the towns people took the stockholder's trip to Boston this week.  
Mrs. Stephen Foskitt has an apple of last year's growth in a perfect state of preservation.  
The pulpit of the Memorial Methodist church will be occupied next Sunday by Rev. William R. Newhall, the new principal of the Academy.  
Mrs. Leroy Smith entertained the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Congregational church in the church parlors Thursday afternoon and evening.  
Wilbraham Grange held a spelling match in the chapel of the South church Wednesday evening. C. L. Smith of the Monson Grange took the first prize.

### HAMPDEN.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Chaffee of Monson were the guests of Mrs. A. N. Thompson last week.  
F. Chichester of Danby, Vt., has returned to the employ of the estate of the late A. O. Thayer.  
Several persons here were awakened by the explosion of dynamite at New Hartford last week.  
The Methodists will have a festival, with chicken-soup supper, at their church next Wednesday.  
A literary society has been formed through the influence of E. E. Abernethy, pastor of the Methodist church.  
Only two veterans, M. Chaffee and J. Kiser, attended the encampment at Washington last week. E. A. Day and N. Pease also spent the week there.  
Deacon John Langdon, a native of this town, but who left twenty years ago to live at Windsor, Ct., has been the guest of D. B. McCray the past week, and though 84 years of age is still quite active.  
William Johnson has a squash vine that is quite a curiosity. It is of the summer crook-neck variety, and after growing in the ordinary way about three feet it flattened out to about one and one-half inches in width, and grew two feet, there being 25 squashes in the space of a foot.

### BELCHERTOWN.

The Democrats have hung out a flag near the Highland House.  
A dinner will be served at the chapel on the day of the fair, the proceeds to be added to the chapel fund.  
W. D. Hanz is building a barn for Mrs. Wood at Enfield to take the place of the one recently burned.  
The pupils of the high school gave the principal, C. W. Blanchard, a reception at the Baptist church vestry Monday evening.  
The annual cattle show will be held next Thursday, and promises to be of more than usual interest. The 2d Regiment Band of Springfield will furnish music during the day. The programme is—  
9:30 a. m.—Grand Cavalcade.  
10:30 a. m.—Exhibition of Working Oxen.  
11:00 a. m.—Opening of Fair in Town Hall.  
11:30 a. m.—Concert by the Second Regiment Band.  
1:30 p. m.—Exhibition of Cattle and Hired Pairs.  
2:00 p. m.—Baby Show in Hall.  
2:45 p. m.—Exhibition of Stallions.  
3:00 p. m.—Exhibition of Carriage Horses, single.  
3:15 p. m.—Exhibition of Carriage Horses, pairs.  
3:30 p. m.—Bicycle Race.  
3:45 p. m.—Bicycle Race.  
4:00 p. m.—Bicycle Race.

### WALLES.

The Hegan mill has been shipped ten days with a new wheel has been put in.  
Warren W. Matthews has been granted an original pension of \$12 per month and \$284 back pay, secured through Agent H. A. McFarland.  
Samuel W. Eager, who has been a trusty clerk in Hubbard Brothers' store two years, has secured a responsible position as clerk and collector with S. C. Whitcomb of Springfield.  
Justice H. A. McFarland has been in Springfield three days this week conducting cases before the grand jury, and will necessarily have to be there more of the time next week, when they come before the traverse jury.  
Officer Hooley arrested H. B. Reed, colored, last Sunday, on a charge of abducting the young daughter of Luther Gardner last May. Reed secured a marriage certificate May 5 from Town Clerk Boyce, and went with the girl in the night to Connecticut, where he applied to several ministers and justices of the peace for marriage, but all were suspicious and refused. Finally last week he came slyly home with the girl to his parents' house and told them he was married, showing them the certificate, duly signed, bearing the name of Rev. Mr. Upham of Webster as having performed the ceremony. After his arrest it proved that he had forged the minister's name. He now lies in jail awaiting the action of the grand jury.  
NORTH WILBRAHAM.  
Miss Mabel F. Gates was home Sunday.  
A. E. Bell is off on his vacation for a week. The paper mill will shut down the first week in October.  
Miss Frances G. Brockbridge spent Sunday with friends in Ware.  
Loren Andrews has entered the employ of Collins Manufacturing Company.  
The Ladies' Society held a social and supper this evening at Grace church.  
Herbert Scott is learning the intricacies of the fish business with King & Knigge.  
Mrs. William P. Ellis of Brookline has been visiting relatives in town this week.  
Miss Harriet Gates is visiting her brother, Rev. Charles H. Gates, in Appleton, Me.  
Ralph Carter has left the paper mill, and will seek his fortune carving meat in a market at Lowell.  
Rev. F. S. Hatch of Monson will occupy the pulpit at Grace church next Sunday in exchange with Rev. E. F. Wheeler.  
Miss W. F. Thompson, manager of the telegraph office at the station, has returned from her summer vacation at Key Beach.  
Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Green of East Wilbraham are rejoicing over the advent of a nine-month boy, which made its appearance last Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Gates are receiving congratulations. It is a large, healthy baby, and was born last week Thursday. Name, Russell Bassett.  
There was a private clam bake with larger beer accompaniment near the Calkins place on the Street road last week Wednesday. No ladies were admitted to the table.  
Rev. E. F. Wheeler will present testimonials to the children of Grace church Sabbath school, who succeeded in learning and repeating the books of the Bible, the ten commandments and the beatitudes.  
One of our hunters took a trip on the mountains with dog and gun last Sunday, but was much taken back at meeting Officer Cookley in the woods, who was looking for such as he. No more hunting for him in Wilbraham woods Sundays.  
WARREN.  
George Shumway is taking a trip to Minneapolis.  
Prof. S. Hitchcock of Lynn has been visiting in town.  
Mrs. Frank Kingman is stopping with Mrs. Margie Shumway.  
Miss Dora Merrick of Wilbraham spent Sunday with Mrs. Dow.  
The King's Daughters met with Mrs. Guild Thursday afternoon.  
A large delegation of stockholders went to Boston Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Webster and Arthur Sibley of Holyoke spent last Sabbath in town.  
The Christian Endeavor society held a social at the Congregational chapel Monday evening.  
Rev. D. O. Clark preached at Ware last Sunday. Mrs. Clark and daughter are visiting in Westboro.  
Miss Hogan of Northampton is taking the place of Miss Davis in the telegraph office during the vacation of the latter.  
The Ladies' Home Missionary society will have a harvest supper next Tuesday evening at the chapel of the Congregational church.  
Rev. L. O. Darling will close his vacation, and leave for Adams, his new field of labor. He will be much missed, as he was active in every good work and an efficient member of the school board. The best wishes of many friends will follow Mr. and Mrs. Darling to their new home.  
The Mill of Sayles & Jenks Wholly Destroyed.  
The worst fire in the history of the town came Wednesday afternoon, when the wooden mill of Sayles & Jenks at the west end of the village was completely demolished, throwing overboard 60 employees out of work. The burned buildings consisted of the main brick mill 40 by 125 feet, four stories and garret; three-story brick addition 40 by 100; three-story brick wheel and picker house 40 by 40; one-story dry house 40 by 60; two-story brick boiler house 30 by 125; frame-story 125 by 125; three-story brick storehouse 40 by 75, which was full of wood, an unusually large stock being on hand, as the house had just been filled up; the office building, and a four-tenement house. Scarcely anything was saved, so rapidly did the fire spread and so poor were the facilities for fighting the flames.  
The fire was discovered about 12:50 in the lower floor, which is in the west end of the wheel house of the main mill, and was so near the pumps that they could not be reached to start them. An alarm was at once rung, but being so near 1 o'clock it was supposed by everyone to be the call for the help, and little attention was paid to it at first. When the nature of the alarm was discovered the department turned out, but as the only protection is a hand engine it was of little use. As it was the noon hour all the doors in the mill were open, and fanned by a strong west wind the flames were not many minutes in reaching all parts of the structure; a work-20 by 30; three-story brick storehouse 40 by 75, which was full of wood, an unusually large stock being on hand, as the house had just been filled up; the office building, and a four-tenement house. Scarcely anything was saved, so rapidly did the fire spread and so poor were the facilities for fighting the flames.  
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being about \$100. The roof of the building next to it also caught fire, also the roofs of the houses of Harvey Ellis, Miss Keyes and Warren Butterworth, but in each case the blaze was extinguished with no material loss.  
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6 bars Acme Soap, .25  
6 bars Marseilles Soap, .25  
6 bars Goodwill Soap, .25  
10 bars Ivory Soap, .25  
6 bars Pearly Oil Soap, .25  
12 bars Dobbins' Electric Soap, .25  
Package Savon Washing Powder, .25  
" Ivoryine " " .25  
" Soapine " " .25  
" Pearlina " " .25  
" Gold Dust " " .25  
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Working Shirts, 25c, 50c and 75c  
75c Carpets, 60c  
50c Carpets, 40c  
Heavy Carpets, 12 1/2, 15c, 20c, 25c  
Straw Mattings, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c  
Curtain Poles, 10c, 25c, 50c  
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## NEIGHBORHOOD NOTES.

## MONSON.

J. H. Robbins has sold his ice business to Herbert M. Smith.

It is possible that a course of lectures will be given in town this winter.

C. M. Gage's house on Main street is receiving its first coat of paint.

William F. Hunt will open a barber shop in the north end of Undergates block.

James Dalrymple has suddenly been called to Montreal by the sickness of his wife.

A large Harrison and Reid flag has been tossed to the breeze from Central block.

W. N. Fyatt has thrown a Republican flag to the breeze from his residence on High street.

The bank building is being wired for electric lights, and gas pipes are also being put in.

The Woman's Relief Corps will hold a meeting in the Grand Army hall Wednesday evening.

Mrs. F. A. Hills had a night-blooming cactus with two blossoms in full bloom last Saturday evening.

The Monson Granite Co. is considering the plan of running a steam railroad from its quarry to the depot.

Albert Dean, for an assault on Rodney Bradway, has been sentenced to two years in the house of correction.

A flag will be raised on the Green street school house Friday, the 21st. The G. A. R. post has voted to attend in a body.

Mrs. Edward Cushman gave a card party last Saturday evening in honor of her friend, Miss Baldwin of Danbury, who is visiting here.

Stafford fair will have a local interest this year, inasmuch as A. A. Gage and George Flynt expect to start their horses in the races there.

The lumber building of W. A. Spier is being transformed into a grain and feed mill. An engine and boiler have already been placed there.

Rev. H. E. Manton of Palmer will occupy the pulpit of the Universalist church next Sunday in exchange with the pastor, Rev. Harry Blackford.

The available which was to have been held at the M. E. church last Wednesday evening has been postponed until the first Wednesday in November.

The Forest Park commissioners of Springfield have the guests of W. N. Flynt last Saturday, and expressed themselves greatly pleased with his party.

Cards are out for the marriage of Miss Jennie M. Nelson and Ollie P. Holbrook, the ceremony to take place at the home of the bride next Tuesday.

It is reported that out-of-town parties are willing to locate a business here with \$50,000 capital, provided Monson people will subscribe for half the stock.

Rev. Mr. Wheeler of North Willbraham occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church last Sunday in exchange with the pastor, Rev. F. S. Hatch.

Additions are almost daily being made to the collection at Flynt's Park, and a new building for the accommodation of the automobiles has just been completed.

William H. Spaulding has sued the W. N. Flynt Granite Co. for \$10,000 on account of injury received by his foot last spring, so that it was obliged to be amputated.

A large number from here will attend the fair at Stafford Springs next week. The Academy is to close one day, and it is expected that the factories will also close.

The following persons have applied to the town clerk for naturalization papers: James Fitzpatrick, William E. Brannick, Jeremiah Carter, James E. Murphy and John Knoff.

James Ferguson of South Monson met with a painful injury while trying to get into a carriage. He was thrown and broke his collar bone. Dr. N. W. Rand is attending him.

Commencing with last Monday the train which usually left for the north at 12 o'clock leaves at 10. This will accommodate many of our business people, as they can leave on that train and get back on the two o'clock train in the afternoon.

The Gilbert family, jubilee singers, of Philadelphia, gave a concert to a good sized audience in Memorial Hall Tuesday evening. The audience was remarkably large, considering the short time the entertainment had been advertised. The net gain to the Methodist society, under whose auspices it was given, was \$17.

Rev. E. R. Thorndike, D. D., presiding officer of this district, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church last Sunday, both morning and evening, and gave two eloquent sermons especially to the young. In the afternoon he preached at Wales. The quarterly conference was held Saturday night. The pastor, Rev. W. H. Marble, presided in Ware.

During the past ten years Laura Barley, who is now 87 years of age, has pieced and put together 73 bedspreads. Twenty-seven of them have 1280 pieces in each, seven of them have 1678 each, and one has 690 pieces. The remaining 42 will average 1000 pieces each. In addition to these she has also braided and sewed together 21 large rugs. Mrs. Barley fell and hurt her hip last week, but is now improving, and otherwise her health is very good.

The freestone at the Congregational church has been completed and most of the stonework removed. The interior is quite handsome, the windows very harmoniously. The organ, which comes next, is being built by Johnson of Westfield, and will be one of the finest this side of Boston. The pulpit platform will be lowered, and the choir loft will be directly behind the platform immediately in front of the keyboard, which will face the audience.

At the annual meeting of the King's Daughters and Sons the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: President, Rev. F. S. Hatch; vice president, Miss Phoebe S. Converse; secretary, Mrs. O. C. McCreary; treasurer, Mrs. S. E. Thrall. A committee was also chosen to map out a new plan of work, as the object for which they have worked the past year has been attained in the raising of sufficient funds to educate and prepare Miss Lilla Seale for missionary work.

The mills at the post office now close and are received at the following hours: Leave at 7:25 for all points except New London way; 8:30 for Boston, Eastern Mass., Maine, Rhode Island, and New London way; 10 for all points north, east, west and south; 4:40 for all points except New London way; 7 for Unionville, Boston, Eastern Mass. and Western states. Mails open at 7:15 from Boston and New York; 8 from Boston, Connecticut and Rhode Island; 9 from north, east and west; 2:30 from north, east and west; 5:30 from New London way; 7:30 from north, east and west.

Last Monday evening the shoddy mill of Erastus Davis at Silver Street was completely destroyed by fire. The fire broke out about eight o'clock, and the cause is unknown. The loss is about \$1500, \$200 for the machinery and \$1300 for the buildings and stock. It was not insured. Mr. Davis employed two men and had large orders ahead. The amount of work done in a day averaged about 1000 pounds. The material is what is known as mangle, Boston, New York and Worcester. Rebuilding is doubtful, as Mr. Davis is an elderly man, and in case of his death the plant and privileges are for sale.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. F. S. Hatch has returned, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Helen.

Henry W. Eaton of South Willbraham spent Sunday with Prof. D. M. Duxan.

Myron Wright left last Monday to attend Geer's Commercial College in Springfield.

Mrs. W. N. Flynt has returned, after a month's visit among friends and relatives.

William W. Bates of Bangor, Me., has been visiting his father, E. L. Wales, the past two weeks.

Mrs. Nelson A. Bigbee, who has been critically ill with typhoid fever, is improving slowly.

Dr. E. H. Copeland has returned to the New York Homoeopathic Medical College to continue his studies.

C. E. Stearns, recently connected with the firm of W. N. Flynt & Sons, spent Sunday with friends in town.

W. J. Ricketts and Rev. Harry Blackford attended the Universalist convention at Cambridgeport the past week.

## ACADEMY NOTES.

W. F. Russell, 35, has entered the freshman class at Yale.

A union prayer meeting was held last Tuesday, it being the first one of the term.

Miles F. Casey attended the annual field meet of the M. V. Militia at Red House Crossing Tuesday. Casey is a member of Co. D, 1st Regiment.

Miss Mabel K. Flynt, a graduate of last year's class, left yesterday to continue her studies at Mrs. Porter's school for young ladies at Farmington, Ct.

Mrs. Fraser, who has had charge of the R. M. & T. store, has returned home, and Miss Kate V. Underwood and sister of Newfane, Vt., will have charge of it the rest of the year. Miss Underwood filled the position of matron last spring term.

Miss Belle J. Butterfield, a graduate of Dr. Carey's School of Expression in a three-year course, proposes to give private and class instruction in Monson and Palmer this coming winter. The terms are quite reasonable. Any persons in Monson who are interested can learn full particulars by applying to Principal DUMFRIES.

## BRIMFIELD.

At the reunion of the 46th regiment, held in Westfield last week, Capt. F. D. Lincoln of this place was elected one of the vice presidents of the association.

## HAMDEN.

Miss Clara F. West, daughter of John W. West of Braintree and granddaughter of John R. West of Haddam, has entered Vassar College at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., intending to complete a four-years' classical course of study. Miss West is a graduate of Thayer Academy in Braintree.

## NORTH WILLBRAHAM.

The citizens of North Willbraham are making careful preparation for the observance of Columbus Day. At a meeting of the executive committee Monday night, the programme for the day was discussed, and while final action on the exercises in detail was left to the adjourned meeting on Monday night, Oct. 15th, it can be said that the programme will be a great credit to the town.

All the citizens are asked to co-operate with the committee in carrying out the plans for the day. Jason Butler is chairman of the executive committee.

## WEST WARREN.

J. A. Johnson spent Sunday in Springfield. Mrs. Shirley is entertaining friends from Holyoke.

J. E. Davis spent Sunday with friends in New Braintree.

The Warren Cotton Mills began Monday on the winter term.

Charles P. Webber has returned from a visit with friends in Salem.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ditch are receiving congratulations over the birth of a baby girl.

The glassblowers have been holding forth in Crossman's Hall every night, with a social dance after the entertainment.

The ladies of the Methodist church held a sale of fancy and useful articles Wednesday and Thursday nights with a farmers' supper Wednesday evening, and an oyster supper Thursday night.

## LUDLOW CENTER.

Rev. Mr. S. Howard of Willbraham preached next Sunday in the Congregational church in exchange with the pastor.

Monday evening the local society and furnished a pleasant literary programme, after which there was lunch and social festivities.

The many friends of Dea. George R. Clark and wife made a surprise visit at their home on Tuesday evening, Oct. 5th, to congratulate them on the 25th anniversary of their marriage.

The Methodist Ministerial Association of this district held a meeting with the Methodist church commencing Tuesday afternoon and continuing through Wednesday of next week. The Christian Endeavor society held a successful anniversary service in the Congregational church Sunday evening. Miss Babb of South Hadley sang two solos; Messrs. King, Bliss and Holman, from various Endeavor societies of Springfield, gave practical addresses on the work of these societies.

## WARREN.

Mrs. Kingman left Wednesday for her home in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Tuttle of Hartford has been visiting Mrs. William Powers.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Powers are visiting their daughter in Fitchburg.

Miss Alice Demond of Boston spent last Sabbath with friends in town.

Dr. J. W. Hastings and wife have been spending a few days in Boston the past week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Washington Keyes of Greenwich, Ct., have been the guests of Danforth Keyes.

The ladies of the Congregational church sent a valuable box of clothing to the colored students in Georgia this week.

The Home Missionary Society gave the usual harvest supper Tuesday evening in the church parlors. There was a large attendance and the supper was much enjoyed by all present.

A meeting was largely attended Saturday evening by the citizens of the town to express sympathy to Messrs. Sayles & Jenks for their great loss by the late fire. It is hoped they will rebuild their mills, as they have much property still on their hands here. Mr. Jenks is a resident here and much regret would be felt if it should leave us. At the meeting it was voted to purchase two steam engines, one for this village and the other for West Warren.

## WARE.

The new list of voters is expected to be ready for posting to-morrow.

The high school year was defeated at Warren last Saturday, 25 to 12.

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The Methodist church next Sunday.

The Ware Cadet Band is to hold a fair during the week commencing the 15th.

The Walter Emerson concert netted the Ware College of Old Palms about \$25.

George's house on Vigant street for \$2700.

Lawyer Davis and his sister, Helen, will attend the dedicatory exercises at Chicago.

The Ware Cadet Band, Eli Phannet, leader, will play at the convent next Monday evening.

J. Thomas Webb of New Braintree has bought a house on West street of Hugh Costello for \$2200.

C. Hitchcock & Co. are to use the room formerly used as a hall for the extension of their business.

There will be confirmation services at All Saints' church the 30th, when Bishop Beaven will be present.

Dr. W. Jones left town about a month ago, and no one seems to know where he has gone or if he is to return.

The Agnes Wallace-Villa Company is to be in the Town Hall next Friday evening in "The World Against Her."

Don't get left on the morning train on the Central road. It now leaves at 6:25, five minutes earlier than formerly.

F. W. Farrar has awarded the contract to build his new house on Church street to D. G. Smith. The cost is to be about \$3500.

The names of 28 who have applied for final naturalization papers have been posted. There now 1004 names on the list of voters.

The Pat Rooney Comedy Company will play a fair house on Tuesday evening, and the performance is well spoken of by some who were there.

Charles E. Blood received the nomination for special commissioner for Hampshire county at the convention at Northampton on Wednesday.

J. H. Schoonmaker has resigned his position at Three Rivers and returned to town, and will continue his reading of law with Hubert M. Coney.

Prof. F. C. Crox of Springfield gave an interesting address in the Town Hall on Sunday evening. Subject: "Temperance from a Christian Standpoint."

Military openings have been in order this week Wednesday and Thursday, with an unusually fine display of trimmed hats and bonnets, and other nice things.

The fire department was called out to a slight blaze in the house of W. F. Wilson on South street this morning at 6:15. The fire was put out with extinguishers.

William S. Hyde was the only candidate presented at the Republican representative convention at Eastfield last Friday, and his nomination was made by acclamation.

Andrew Bryon will offer a \$4000 stock of goods, bought for 55 cents on the dollar from a Brooklyn firm. The sale will commence next Wednesday, and you may be sure there will be some low prices.

The Connecticut Valley District Grange will hold a meeting with the Ware Grange next Wednesday. The public is invited to the afternoon session. Subject: "Can we afford to improve our husky pastures?"

Miss Breckinridge's class in physical culture for ladies and children will meet in the Christian Workers' Hall this season. She will be there next Monday from 2 to 8 p. m., to receive applications from those who wish to join.

The chudlers here has so stopped the importation of paper stock that unless there is some change soon the paper mill at West Warren will be obliged to shut down, although they have large orders ahead, sufficient to keep the mill running eight and ten days.

The first Democratic rally will take place in the Town Hall next Thursday evening. Addresses at 8 o'clock by James B. Carroll, candidate for lieutenant governor, and Charles S. Hillman, candidate for secretary of state. James E. Clark will preside at the meeting.

The following committee of teachers has been chosen to arrange a programme for Columbus Day: Mr. Rasmussen, Misses Hall, Sanford, Driscoll, Carroll and Kennedy.

The exercises will be held in the Town Hall in the forenoon. There will be a parade of about 1000 school children, and other exercises they will be likely to remember with pleasure.

Lucius Ladd Bridge, architect for H. P. Cummings & Co., and Eva Maria, daughter of Charles W. Clark of Springfield, were married at the home of the bride on Wednesday evening. The happy couple are south for their wedding trip, after which they will reside at Ware, being at home after Nov. 15th. Mr. Bridge has a host of friends among the young people here, who will no doubt give the couple a warm reception on their return.

The Ware Young Men's Union dedicated its gymnasium last evening, the exercises being as follows: Overture, Cadet Band; club history, J. H. Peckham; horizontal bar, M. Sullivan; baritone solo, E. Phannet; club swinging, E. B. Nash; banjo duet, Reilly and Kennedy; parallel bar, Nash brothers; trio, fire drum, Fitzgerald brothers and Montgomery.

The annual glove contest, between the Ware and the Danforth, after which there was a social dance.

Fire was discovered in the barn occupied by Peter Topp, near Vigant street, about 9 o'clock Wednesday evening. The barn was injured but little, but the loss of the valuable stallion, "Honest Bob," which was suffocated by the smoke. The horse took the second prize at the Danforth fair, and was to have been sold at Danforth and other fairs in this vicinity. It is reported that the horse could have been sold for \$500 a few days ago, but a heavy loss to a man who could ill afford it.

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